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1. The 8th Automobile Battalion at Craiova, Rumania, is a repair unit for automobiles and tanks. Its strength is about 600 soldiers and 200 civilian workers. The Battalion has at its disposal workshops which permit the complete repairing of all types of tanks and automobiles.
2. The barracks occupied by the 8th Battalion are located at the south end of the town of Craiova, northwest of the Electroputere factory on the Craiova-Caracal road.
3. The soldiers assigned to the battalion wear the uniform of Rumanian artillerymen. On the black epaulettes both enlisted men and officers wear the following insignia: a hammer and wrench crossed and mounted on an automobile steering wheel in yellow metal.

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